

Scout Trails

Troop 315, Post 315x

Boy Scout Troop 315 and Explorer Post 315x held a joint Court of Honor Thursday evening at the Torrance Park Band Shell. Committee chairman, Norman Richard, stated that this site was selected instead of the Torrance Moose Hall because of the large crowd of visitors expected.

Troop 315 advanced 12 of its 40 scouts to higher ranks. Gary Wilkinson received the Star Scout rating, Richard Sullivan, Fred Rose, Danny Dane and John Shattuck were advanced to First Class Scout. Those receiving Second Class rating were Raymond Sullivan, Don Wilson, Paul Cramer, Gary Rose and Ernie Foster.

TWO BOYS, Blair Caulkins and Jackie Peterson, were accepted into the Tenderfoot Class. Besides these advancements, most of these boys and many others earned many merit badges during the summer months and received their awards.

Post 315x, with 16 members, advanced five Explorers. Nor-

man Casson received the high rank of Life Scout and his brother Dennis received the Star Explorer rate. Explorers Richard Hald, Russell Elmadolar, and Dale Hanson were advanced to First Class. Also numerous merit badges were awarded to deserving Explorers.

WINNERS OF the United States 50-star Flag sales contest were announced by Scoutmaster Homer Foster. Randy Roach received first prize. Brothers John and Ken Shattuck tied for second place duplicate prizes. Mothers Club of Troop 315 awarded a prize to Star Scout Gary Wilkinson for submitting the best name for their news sheet. Hereafter the news will carry the title line of "315 Busy Bee Gazette."

After the awards program guests were entertained with forty minutes of authentic Indian dances presented by the 315 Dance Team of eight scouts and three adult advisors. The program closed with the pleasant announcement that refreshments would be served by the Mothers Club.

Garden Checklist

GARDENER'S CHECKLIST

1. Bulb planting season is close upon us. Most nurseries have their complete stock of spring bulbs now.
2. Use blooming pots of Cyclamen to replace Tuberos Begonias as they go out of bloom.
3. Sprinkle new lawns as required to keep moist. Some seeds in the mixture you planted are slow to sprout; and even a slight drying at this time will cause trouble.
4. Divide such perennials as Phlox, Primrose, Shasta Daisy. Plant new perennials from nursery flats for spring bloom.
5. Don't count on early rains to end the need for watering. Water up to and in the wake of fall's first storms.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars. To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

ARIES MAR. 22 APR. 20 15-18-20-39 45-49-78	Taurus APR. 21 MAY 21 13-21-35-44 55-75-79-89	GEMINI MAY 22 JUNE 22 6-10-11-34 58-67-80-87	CANCER JUNE 23 JULY 23 24-27-33-41 56-60-81-84	LEO JULY 24 AUG. 23 23-28-42-48 54-57-72	VIRGO AUG. 24 SEPT. 22 5-25-31-36 50-61-71	LIBRA SEPT. 23 OCT. 23 47-49-51-59 65-70-82-86	SCORPIO OCT. 24 NOV. 22 3-7-12-19 30-38-76	SAGITTARIUS NOV. 23 DEC. 22 1-40-52-65 66-74-77	CAPRICORN DEC. 23 JAN. 20 37-46-53-62 68-73-85-90	AQUARIUS JAN. 21 FEB. 19 2-6-17-26 29-64-83-88	PISCES FEB. 20 MAR. 20 9-14-16-63 22-32-42
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4 Warning 34 Out 64 Others
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6 Benefit 36 Watch 66 Changes
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8 You 38 Difficult 68 How
9 Signal 39 For 69 And
10 May 40 Willing 70 Sorry
11 Feel 41 Take 71 Now
12 New 42 Of 72 Lightly
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15 Today's 45 Romance 75 Response
16 Should 46 Notice 76 Tasks
17 Greatly 47 Don't 77 Fusing
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19 Problems 49 Say 79 Be
20 Day 50 Your 80 With
21 Generous 51 Things 81 They
22 Be 52 To 82 For
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24 Slow 54 Nerves 84 Case
25 Health's 55 Generous 85 Love
26 From 56 Things 86 Later
27 Day 57 Treat 87 Things
28 Easy 58 Of 88 Distress
29 Helping 59 You'll 89 Helpful
30 And 60 As 90 It

9/25
Good Adverse Neutral

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- 1-Submerged
- 2-Sheets of glass
- 3-Number
- 4-Ancient
- 5-Positive pole
- 6-Church bench
- 7-Protect
- 8-Bench
- 9-Dine
- 10-Country of Asia
- 11-Heavenly body
- 12-Part of "to be"
- 13-Metaphorical
- 14-Temporary
- 15-Word of sorrow
- 16-River in Siberia
- 17-Conjunction
- 18-Puzzles
- 19-Crystal
- 20-Told falsehood
- 21-Crystal container
- 22-Flung
- 23-Compass point
- 24-Measure of weight (pl.)
- 25-Likeness
- 26-The heart
- 27-Roof of the mouth
- 28-Separated
- 29-Cloth measure
- 30-Arden
- 31-Before
- 32-Crafty
- 33-Lets fall
- 34-Uncooked

DOWN

- 1-Concealed
- 2-Exist
- 3-Conquer
- 4-Camp for breath
- 5-Conjunction
- 6-Negative
- 7-Paradise
- 8-Dispatches
- 9-Narcotic
- 10-A state (abbr.)
- 11-Female
- 12-Organ of hearing
- 13-Clock faces
- 14-Conceive
- 15-Chastise
- 16-Japanese gateway
- 17-Landed
- 18-Negatively charged particle
- 19-Skinkards
- 20-Indefinite article
- 21-Pitfall duck
- 22-Dropsy
- 23-Conjunction
- 24-Not well
- 25-Baggage carrier
- 26-Satisfied
- 27-Rocky hill
- 28-Outlet
- 29-Vehicles
- 30-Footlike part
- 31-Everyone
- 32-Vigor (colloq.)
- 33-Period of time
- 34-Condensed moisture
- 35-Process

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Gerald Fisher Ends 37-Year Career With Mobil Oil Co.

The retirement of Gerald Fisher, pollution control coordinator, from Mobil Oil Co. was announced Wednesday by R. E. Lauterbach, the company's general manager of manufacturing in Southern California.

Fisher, who joined Mobil Oil Co. 37 years ago, is widely known for his contributions to the oil industry's air pollution abatement program, having aided in the development and installation of many methods for the control of smoke, dust, fumes and vapors resulting from refining operations.

For the past year Fisher has been on "loan" to the Western Oil and Gas Assn., spending some 60 per cent of his time as the association's air pollution control coordinator and as a member of the association's technical subcommittee.

IN A LETTER of commendation to Fisher on his retirement, H. G. Vesper, president of the association, stated,

"Your participation in the field of air pollution at the district, state and federal level has earned you a national reputation as a technical authority and this has been reflected by the respect shown to the oil industry in our relations with air pollution control authorities."

Fisher is a member of the Advisory Committee on Automobile Exhaust Standards for the California State Health Dept., and also a member of the technical task group on automobile exhaust research of the United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare. He is chairman of the West Coast Section of the Air Pollution Control Assn.

HE IS THE author of sev-

eral technical papers on air pollution. In 1959, he presented a paper at the Fifth World Petroleum Conference entitled "Air Pollution Prevention Through Engineering Design and Operation." The conference, held in New York was attended by several hundred experts on air pollution from all over the world.

Representing Western Oil and Gas Assn., Fisher testified on air pollution before the California State Legislative Assembly's Interim Committee on Public Health on Sept. 28, 1955.

Fisher also delivered a statement, as a representative of the association, at the Conference on Air Pollution Research sponsored by the American Petroleum Institute and the United States Surgeon General's office in New York, December 1959. The paper dealt

with the cooperative program on testing fuel composition.

A NATIVE OF Scotsburg, Ind., and a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, Fisher worked as a chemist in Colorado before joining the Mobil Oil Co. in 1923 in a similar capacity. He became supervisor of laboratories in 1928 and chief chemist in 1930.

For three years during World War II he headed the Washington office of Socony Mobil Oil Co. Fisher returned to Mobil Oil Co. in Los Angeles in 1943 and was appointed manager of lubricants and process products in 1944. In 1954 he was named pollution control coordinator.

He is a member of the American Petroleum Institute, Alpha Chi Sigma, a professional chemical fraternity, California Society of Professional engi-

eers—Pasadena Chapter—presently serving as chairman of its Air Pollution Control Com-

mittee. He holds membership in the American Ordnance Assn., is a director of the All Nations Boys Club, the Petroleum Club of Los Angeles, and the Rotary Club of Vernon.



GERALD FISHER

Torrance Elementary Sets Parent Meeting

Parent group conferences will be held at Torrance Elementary School next Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 27 and 28, according to Principal Stanley Roberts.

On both nights, the meetings will start at 7:30 in the auditorium, Rooms 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 20, 21, 23, and 25 will meet Tuesday, while Rooms 4, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 22, and 24 will meet on Wednesday. Kindergarten conferences will be on Tuesday, Oct. 4.

Explanations of the school program will be made at these meetings.

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